



*Living by Faith, Known by Love, A Voice of Hope*



First Church in Windsor, UCC

**Palm Sunday**

April 10, 2022, at 10 a.m.

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**\*Call to Worship**

*Roll Down, Justice*

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**Roll down! Roll down, justice!  
Roll like an ever-flowing stream,  
O Roll Down, roll down justice  
Roll like an ever-flowing stream,  
flowing stream, roll down!**

Pastor: Holy and Living God, we open to you this day.

**People: May peace flow. Let justice roll.**

Pastor: Wake us from our slumber and help us see.

**People: May peace flow. Let justice roll.**

Pastor: Let no one feel outside Your love, outside our love.

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**Passing of the Peace**

Pastor: In the words of St. Patrick "Christ with me, Christ before me, Christ behind me, Christ in me"  
Let this Peace of Christ be with you!

**People: And also with you!**

*Please pass the peace of Christ with a wave with those around you.*

*If you are joining on Facebook Live, please add a comment under the video or send a message to a fellow FCW community member.*

## \*Hymn

### *All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

Words by Theodulph of Orleans

Music by Melchior Teschner

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**All glory, laud, and honor to you, O Christ we sing,  
to whom the lips of children made sweet hosanna ring!  
The people of the Hebrews with palms adorned your way;  
our praise and prayer and anthems we offer you this day.**

**O Promised One of Israel, of David's royal line,  
the one called "God's Beloved," of flesh and yet divine,  
to you, before your passion, they sang their hymns of praise;  
to you, now high exalted, our melody we raise.**

**As you received their praises, receive our prayers today,  
whose justice and whose mercy and sovereignty hold sway.  
All glory, laud, and honor to you, O Christ we sing,  
to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring!**

## Prayer of Invocation

**Mighty God, we join the shouts of welcome, "Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven and glory in the highest." You sent Jesus to teach and inspire the multitudes and call us all to discipleship, now help us to celebrate the triumph of humility and the be satisfied with servanthood. We rejoice that Jesus shared our humanity and lifted up the lowly. We know that Jesus walks with us in the way of faithfulness. Meet us here again in worship. Amen.**

## \*Prayer of our Savior

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen**

## Anthem

### *Ride On, King Jesus*

African American spiritual

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Arranged by Jane Frogley

## Children's Moment

## Scriptures

### **Luke 19:28-40**

<sup>28</sup>After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. <sup>29</sup>When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, <sup>30</sup>saying, "Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. <sup>31</sup>If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it.'" <sup>32</sup>So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. <sup>33</sup>As they were untying the

colt, its owners asked them, “Why are you untying the colt?” <sup>34</sup>They said, “The Lord needs it.” <sup>35</sup>Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. <sup>36</sup>As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. <sup>37</sup>As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, <sup>38</sup>saying, “Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest heaven!” <sup>39</sup>Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, “Teacher, order your disciples to stop.” <sup>40</sup>He answered, “I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out.”

## Sermon

Pastor Nicole

“Say It Again”

## Hymn

*I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

Words ascribed to an Indian prince, as sung in Garo, Assam

Indian folk melody

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**I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus,  
I have decided to follow Jesus,  
no turning back, no turning back.**

**Though no one join me, still I will follow,  
though no one join me, still I will follow,  
though no one join me, still I will follow,  
no turning back, no turning back.**

**The world behind me, the cross before me,  
The world behind me, the cross before me,  
The world behind me, the cross before me,  
No turning back, no turning back.**

## Prayers of the People

### Pastoral Prayer

*Take the fabric and write down something you want to let go. After the prayer, during the prayer response, bring up the fabric and put it in the baptismal font.*

### Prayer Response

*I've Got Peace Like a River*

African-American spiritual

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**I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river, I've got peace like a river in my soul (X2)**

*Please bring your fabric forward at this time.*

## Announcements

If you wish, you may give online [here](#).

**\*Closing Hymn**

*Lift High the Cross*

Words by George William Kitchin

Music by Sydney Hugo Nicholson

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**Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim;  
Let all adore and praise that sacred name.**

**Come, Christians, follow where our Savior trod,  
The Lamb victorious, Christ the Child of God.  
Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim;  
Let all adore and praise that sacred name.**

**O Christ, once lifted on the glorious tree,  
Your death has brought us life eternally.  
Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim;  
Let all adore and praise that sacred name.**

**So shall our song of triumph ever be:  
Praise to the Crucified for victory.  
Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim;  
Let all adore and praise that sacred name.**

**\*Benediction**

**Postlude**

*All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

Arranged by Michael Ryan

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